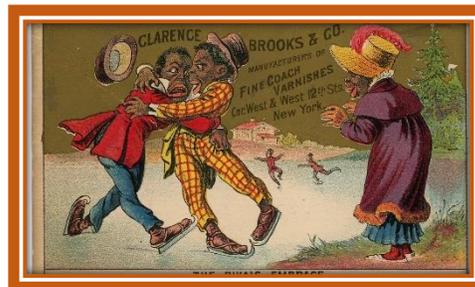


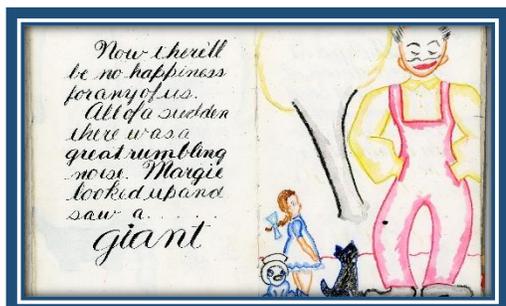
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ECLECTIBLES

Miscellany: Lust or
Laundry, Cookery,
Racism, Women Opposing
Woman's Suffrage &
Of Course, the Children



It's all about the Children...



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1. [Sexism in Victorian Advertising][Gender Roles] **Smith & Fowler's Laundry Soaps.** Clay & Co. Buffalo, NY. [1880]. A 10 ½" x 8 ¾" printer's proof (note printer's marks top and bottom). It depicts a woman dressed in a gossamer top exposing the detail of her upper torso carrying a 60 pound case of laundry detergent with a washboard and tub at her side. It appears she has selected this particular brand over the others. Her appearance is that of being content with her activity. Aside from the imagery the color is exceptionally vibrant. (#8500012) \$750.

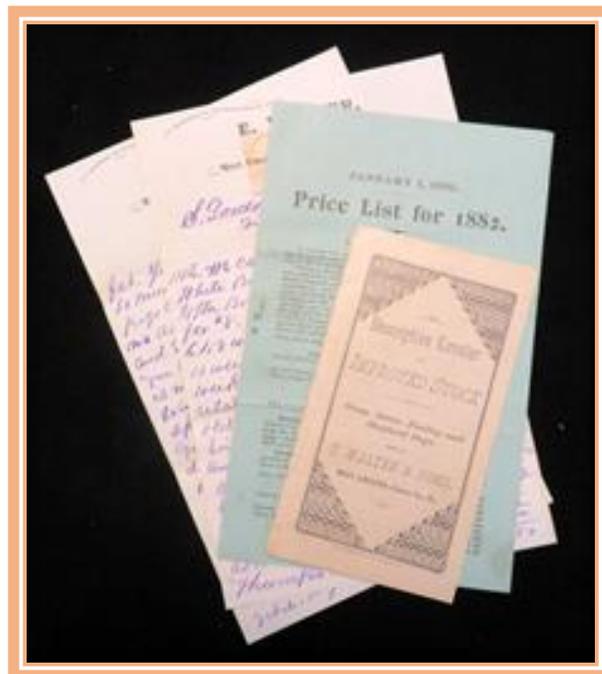
What exposed breasts have to do with laundry detergent escapes me except for blatant exploitation. Are they promoting laundry soap or lust...

Smith & Fowler's Pride of the Laundry, Based in Baltimore MD.

Edges appeared trimmed. ¾" intact tear at base (minimal detractor)

2. [agricultural][business history][billheads and letterheads][correspondence][animals][advertising][price list] **A Three Piece Grouping of Ephemera Relating to T. Walter and Sons, Livestock Farmers.** T. Walter & Sons. West Chester, PA. 1882. A grouping of three items from T. Walter and Sons, livestock dealers from West Chester, PA. It dates from 1882 and contains a price list, descriptive circular, and a business letter to a client. The price list is

single fold, double sided, printed on light blue paper and contains a brief description of each animal sold and their prices. The list includes Lincoln, Hampshiredown and Southdown sheep; Chester White, Yorkshire, and Berkshire Pigs; Imperial Pekin and Rouen Ducks; Light and Dark Brahmas and American Dominique Chickens, bronze turkeys, and scotch shepherd dogs. The backside list references from individuals who purchased stock from them in 1881. Single fold, double sided. Measures 8" x 5" (folded), 10" x 8" (unfolded). The descriptive circular's full title is "Descriptive Circular of Improved Stock: Sheep, Swine, Poultry and Shepherd Dogs Bred by T. Walter & Sons." This circular contains an in depth description of their livestock available for purchase along with seven (7) black and white illustrations of the animals. All animals listed on the price list also feature in the circular with two additions: White Holland Turkey and Plymouth Rock Chicken. Also included is information on seed corn that is available

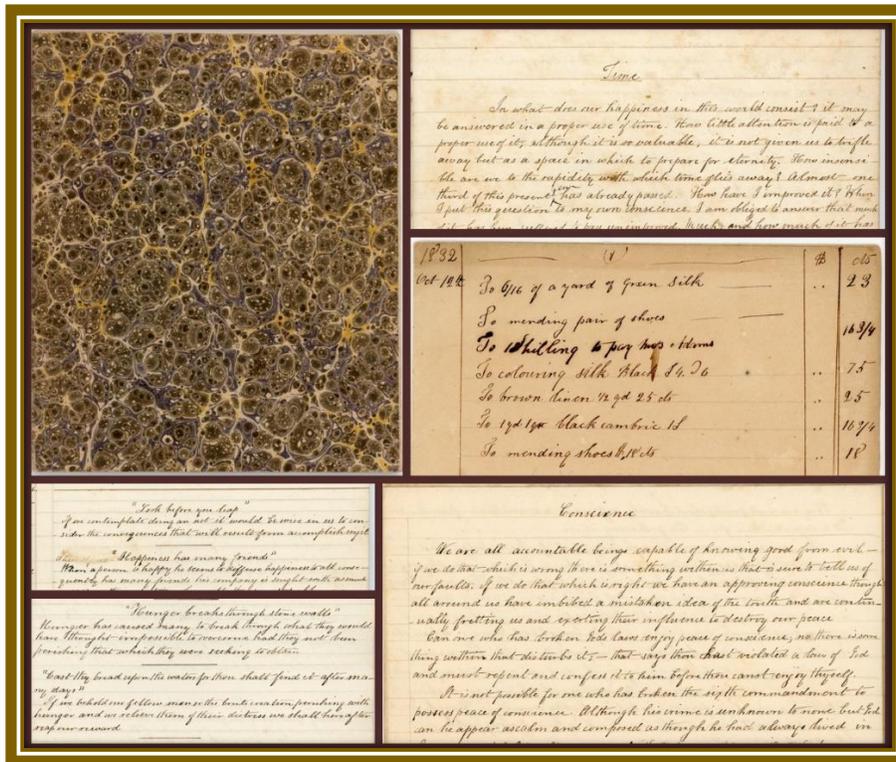


for purchase. There is a small section regarding the terms and conditions of the sales, such as the fact that they do ship C.O.D. to "reliable parties". Lastly there are nine pages of testimonials from past customers. Printer: F. S. Hickman. 24 pg. Printed wrappers with front decorative border. String binding. OCLC 0 (Aug. 2020). Measures 5 3/4" x 3 1/4". The last item in this collection is a business letter written on a Edward Walter's stationary. Edward was one of the sons in "T. Walter & Sons", and owned La Grange Farm, one of five farms owned by the company. The letter head has a light orange engraving of a pig at the top with Edward's information printed in black over it. The letter itself is dated May 15, 1882, and was sent to a S. Gordon, Esq. regarding the possible order of new pigs, especially pigs not related to ones Gordon had purchased two year prior. Apparently Gordon was having problems with this year's crop of piglets who were sick. Edward provides advice, guessing his pigs had 'thumps', and gives instructions on how to treat his current piglets and prevent it from happening again in the future. Measures 8 3/4" x 5 3/4". (#20128277) \$175.

Townsend Walter was born on February 26, 1815 to a Quaker family in Kennett, PA. His parents were William Walter (1783-1872) and Margaret Lamborn (1788-1870). He had four siblings: Martha Walter Marshall (1817-1874), Robert L. Walter (1820-1903), William H. Walter (1823-1876), and Joseph S. Walter (1828-1878). He married Abigail W. Mercer (1815-1844) on December 15, 1836 in Kennett, PA, and had four children together: Samuel M. Walter (1837-1920), Edward T. Walter (1840-1926), Anna M. Walter (1842-1873), and Sharpless A. Walter. After Abigail's death, Townsend remarried his sister-in-law, Mary Ann Mercer (1827-1892), on May 7, 1846 and had an additional three children with his second wife: Caleb Mercer Walter (1852-1929), Charles Townsend Walter (1853-1920), Elizabeth Walter (1863-1937). Together with several of his sons (most likely at least Charles and Edward), Townsend ran a livestock company called T. Walter & Sons. Townsend was involved in local politics and supposedly was the first Republican elected to office in Chester County. He died on March 8, 1912 after a fall resulted in a broken hip which put stress on his heart.

General wear. Letter folds on letter and price list.

Albums



3. [Commonplace Book][**Musings and Lessons of E. Baldwin.** E. Baldwin. Clinton, Charleston, MA. 1825-1833. Marbled wraps. 16 pages of verse. An array of musings and lessons. Including:

Time - In what does our happiness in the world consist? It may be answered in a proprietary use of time. How little attention is paid to a proper use of it, although it is so valuable.
 On the folly of Indulging Anger - the excuses made by those who indulge anger prove that it is not only foolish but a sin.
 Advantages of cultivating a disposition to be pleased.
 Greece - a 3 pages essay on the country.
 On receiving a Bible. From your affectionate daughter E. Baldwin.

Conscience - We are all accountable beings capable of knowing good from evil; if we do what is wrong there is something within that is sure to tell us of our faults. If we do what is right we have an approving conscious thought

This is followed by a series of proverbs including
 Look before you leap
 Happiness has many friends
 Hunger breaks through stone walls
 Cast thy bread upon the water for thou shall find it after many days.
 Cut your coat according to your cloth.
 He gives twice who gives soon.

This followed by random thoughts entitled “ Exercise in Composition - how one conjures thoughts” This is followed by The Vacation - two pages on a European tour in the northern countries of Europe and France (after leaving school after two years with seriously impaired health)

A section on Describe & Contrast the following subjects
 Pride and Humility

Geography & History

Virtue & Vice

Peace & War,

a section titled "On Curiosity"

and concluding with a two page letter to Dear Mother recollecting her tour of Europe.

Additionally tucked in the pages is a two page 1832 ledger for clothing and dry goods.

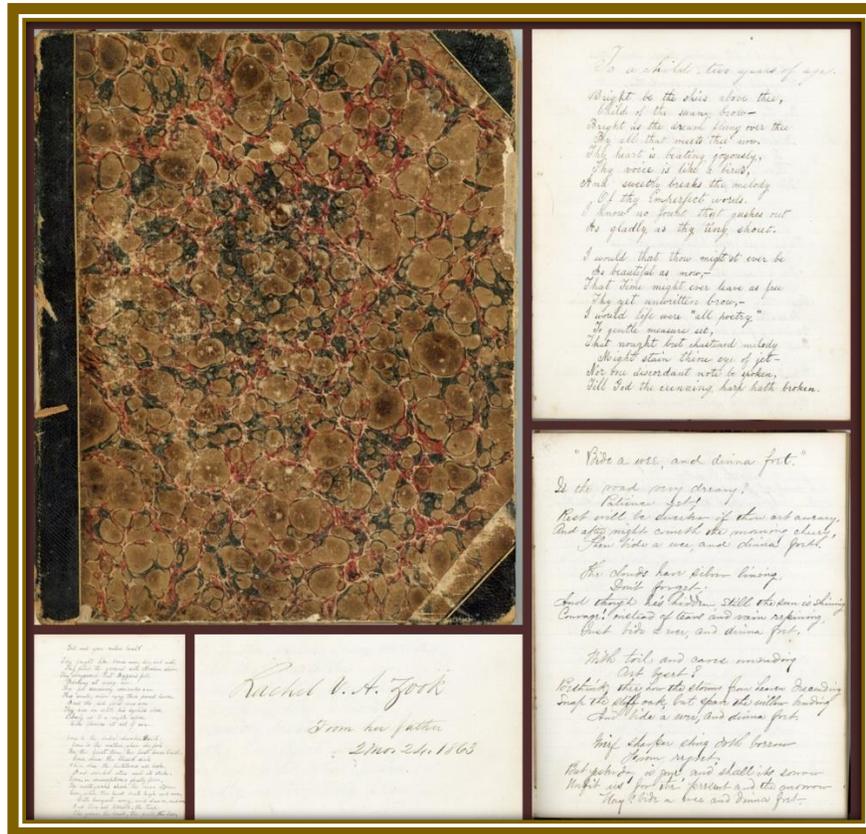
Measures 8" x 6 1/2". The second half of the book is blank.

(#21012663)

\$400.

Much of this sounds as though it could have been written today.

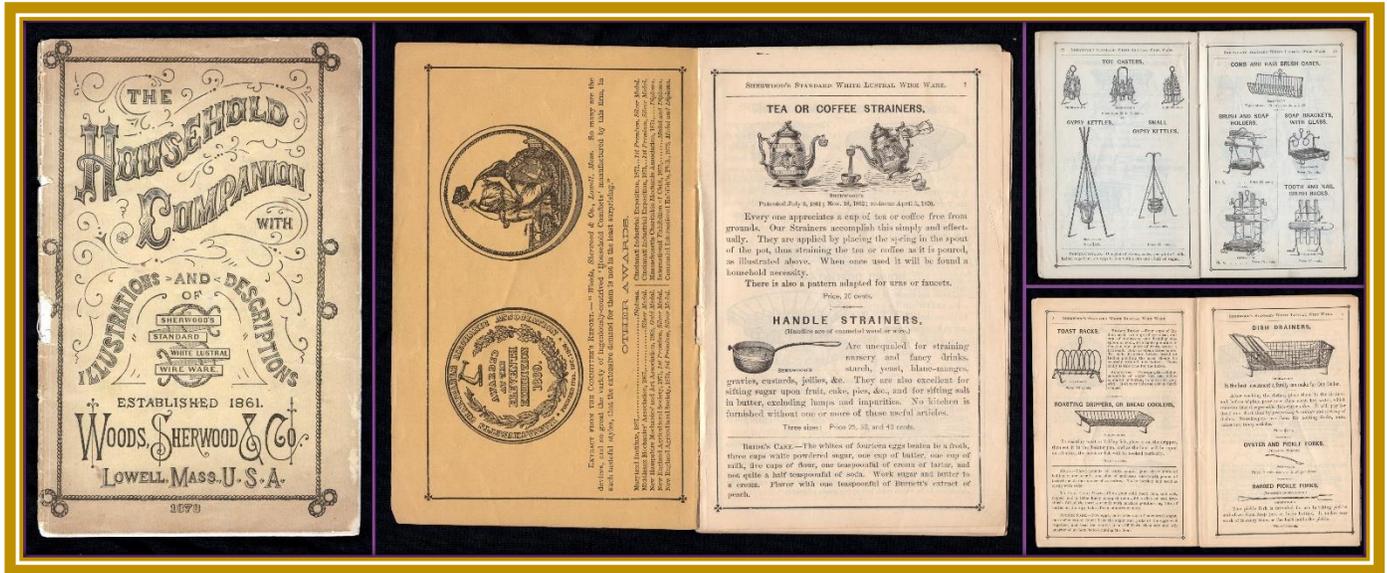
Moderate cover wear.



4. [Commonplace Book][Poetry] **46 Poems, Hymns and Verse collected and transcribed by a young woman.** Rachel V. A. Zook. Pennsylvania (?). 1863-1870. Marble on board. 65 leaf. Approximately 95 manuscript pages of verse. The inscription page reads Rachel V. A. Zook, from her father 2 mo. 24, 1863. The verses are usually multiple pages in length with a few of her own entries only two lines. Content includes The First Snow Fall, Marco Bozzuris, Resignation, The Ocean, Flee as a Bird, James Dougglas, Commit they wave for God, Beautiful Things and many more. Many include author and transcription date. Tucked in the back is The Boasting Hen by George Cooper in the Independent. Measures 8 1/4" x 6 3/4". (#21000288) \$325.

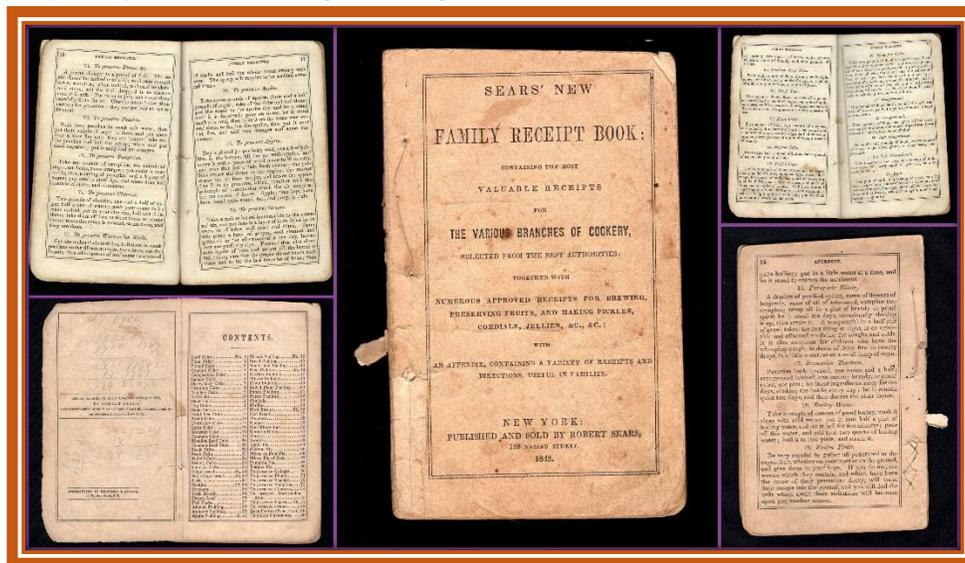
There were a number of Rachel Zooks, mostly in Pennsylvania at the time. Unable to ascertain identity of this particular Rachel Zook.

Back strip lacking. Cover wear. Front cover detached but present.



5. [household & furnishing][advertising][women's work][trade catalogue][food & wine][trade catalogues] **The Household Companion with Illustrations and Descriptions Of Sherwood's Standard White Lustral Wire Ware.** Woods, Sherwood & Co. Lowell, MA. 1878. A catalogue for items of "wire ware" which essentially means any item in which all or part of the item is made from wire. Some examples of items sold are: tea or coffee stainers, spiral egg beaters, egg stands, tooth brush holder, and dish drainers. A few of the items in the catalogue only used the 'wire' as a decorative element, such as pot stands and sugar bowls. The majority of each item described in the catalogue also comes with a black and white illustration. At the base of each page is one or two short and simple recipes, mostly food recipes, but there are some home remedies as well. Examples are: Parker House Rolls, Tapioca Cream, Corn Starch Cake, Cough Medicine, and Egg Sauce. 32 pp. Printed wrappers. Staple binding. OCLC 3 (Dec. 2021). Measures 7" x 4 1/2". (#29001291) \$225.

Covers partially detached, binding loose. Edge wear.

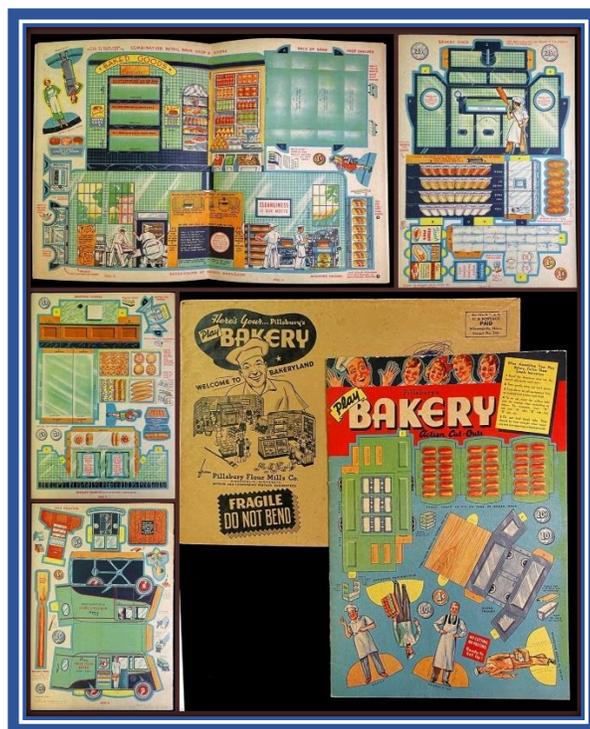


6. [food & wine][women's work][home economics][brewing][recipe] **Sears' New Family Receipt Book: Containing the Most Valuable Receipts for the Various Branches of Cookery ...** Robert Sears Robert Sears. New York, NY. 1848. A book for housewives containing numerous receipts, or recipes, as they are now called. Both words are derived from the Latin verb 'recipere' which means to 'receive or take'. The book provides 'receipts' for

a variety of items, from over two dozen different types of cakes (such as Plum Cake and Hand Tea Cake), to about a dozen different puddings (such as Boiled Flour Pudding and Apple Pudding). In addition to foods, there were 'receipts' for different fruit preserves, pickles, sauces, cordials, and beer. Most of the 'receipts' were short, and only provided a list of ingredients with little additional instructions. Such as "Cymbals", which state "Two pounds flour, half a pound of sugar, half a pound of butter, six eggs, a little rose-water, and a little spice." There is a small Appendix which provides general advice on a variety of household chores, such as how to wash "woollens" and various home remedies like a stomach tincture. 36 pgs. Printed wrapper. Thread binding. OCLC 4 (Nov. 2021) Measures 6" x 3 3/4".

Full title: Sears' New Family Receipt Book: Containing the Most Valuable Receipts for the Various Branches of Cookery, Selected from the Best Authorities, Together with Numerous Approved Receipts for Brewing, Preserving Fruits, and Making Pickles, Cordials, Jellies, &c., &c., with an Appendix Containing a Variety of Receipts and Directions, Useful in Families (#20200211) \$75.

General Wear. Front cover partially detached. Minor penciling. Missing last page and back cover.



7. [Pretend Play][Advertising and Promotion][Pillsbury] **Uncut Pillsbury's Play Bakery Action Cut-outs w Original Envelope.** Pillsbury Flour Co. NO 2342 American Advertising & Research Corp. Chicago, IL. 1936. Six (6) page (including covers) large format punch out book including 3 customer and 5 bakery employee paper dolls and a number of other bakery employees printed with the machinery. Assembling instructions on front cover. Beyond promoting Pillsbury products promotes cleanliness in the workplace, paper coins for pretend purchases and all elements associated with a bakery. Book measures 14 1/4" x 10". Also includes original envelope with image of assembled bakery. (#21012526) \$275.

Minimal wear. Envelope postally used.



8. [Trade catalogue][recipes][food & wine][household & furnishing] **Metcalf & Luther's Book of Recipes.** Metcalf & Luther's. Springfield, MA. [1880]. This book of recipes has a slightly misleading name as it is also a trade catalogue for Metcalf & Luther's a "furnishing emporium" located in Springfield, MA. The booklet does include numerous recipes, in fact it alternatives between pages of recipes and pages of descriptions of items for sale by Metcalf & Luther's. Some examples of recipes provided are: graham bread, baked Indian pudding, egg sauce and spiced beef. Some examples of items sold by Metcalf & Luther are: walnut chamber sets, carpets, stoves, baby carriages, and upholstery materials. Additionally, there are six black and white illustrations of the items. 32 pp.. Printed wrappers. OCLC 0 (Nov. 2021). Measures 6" x 4 1/4". (#20200311) \$110.

General wear and minor ink stains on front cover. Pencilng.



9. [household & furnishing][advertising][women's work][trade catalogue][kitchen gadgets][novelty] **Weber's Kitchen Novelty Shop Catalogue - Demonstrators of Latest and Newest Labor Saving Devices for Fancy Cutting of Vegetable, etc..** Weber's Kitchen Novelty Shop. Atlantic City, NJ. An promotional catalogue for Weber's Kitchen Novelty Shop located in Atlantic City, NJ. The store sold a variety of kitchen gadgets meant for rather specific cooking usage. Some of the items advertised are: corn holders, grapefruit knife, lime squeezer, butter curler, egg slicer, pineapple eyer, and olive tongs. Each item advertised has a small description and comes

with a black and white illustration of the item. 8 pp. with additional promotion inside covers. Printed pink wrappers. Staple binding. OCLC 0 (Dec 2021). Measures 8" x 5 1/4". (#29001143) \$125.

One of the binding staples is missing, as such binding is loose.

Made by Hand – Original Art



10. [Composers][Musicians][Dances][Instruments] **German-Austrian Original Card Game - Modern Music Themes** [1940s]. A set of 48 original watercolor playing cards predominantly music themes. There are 12 suits with four cards each each suit is titled. Each card within the suit has four (4) relevant names e.g. The first set is dances and the names are fox trot, waltz, rumba and jitterbug and are repeated on each card although the order changes. The watercolor on the card represents the top card - Fox trot depicts two (2) foxes dancing. All text is printed in German. The suites include:

I. Dances

II. Jazz Instruments

III. Instrumental virtuosos (Vossen, Kreuder, von Gerzy & Goodman)

IV. Hit Cities (Berlin, Paris, Broadway... . Far away lands

VI. Old Acquaintances (faithful Hussar, kissing a woman's hand, white lilac, my heart in Heidelberg)

VII. Peter Igelhoff (pianist with 4 songs)

VIII. Peter Kreuder (pianist with 4 songs)

IX. Bochmann-Plessow (2 songs each)

X. Grothe-Jary (composer with 2 compositions each)

XI. The Beasts of Swing (Black Panther, Elephant and Mosquito, 3 small Monkeys, Kangaroo)

XII. Popular Tangos

Measure 4" x 2 3/4". Heavy stock

(#21012686)

\$650.

Excellent

Literary Posters



11. [Literary Poster][Bostonian Magazine][Women's History] **Graduating Woman Holds Diploma Under Garland of Flowers.** A. G. Learned (illustrator) Bostonian. Boston, MA. [1895]. An 18" x 12 1/2" literary poster for Bostonian magazine for June (presumably 1895) depicting a young woman holding a diploma. An ethereal light and a garland of roses are overhead. "June" is in the background --graduation month. Reverse is blank. (#21012669) \$250.

Minimal wrinkling right lower margin; minimal detractor.



12. [Literary Poster][The Boston Sunday Herald][Women] **Image of a young woman holding a book promotes The Boston Sunday Herald.** The Boston Sunday Herald. Boston, MA. [1895]. A 19" x 12" poster promoting The Boston Sunday Herald newspaper. It depicts a serious looking young woman holding a book. Reverse is blank (#21012363) \$250.

Small area of light discoloration lower margin; minimal detracton.

Printing & Publishing



13. [Printing & Publishing][Weddings & Funerals] **A collection of 156 Wedding and Death Announcements with Various Printing Types and Styles.** Various. The Netherlands. 1860s-1870s. A 13" x 4 1/2" hard cover book with applied marbled papers. Includes 156 announcements mostly from Oosterend but also other locations in the Netherlands. They include wedding announcements (114), calling cards (4), Photo (1), death notices (31) and business cards (6). A majority of the announcements and cards are approx. 3" x 5" or smaller; the death notices are usually 8" x 8". May of the cards have a porcelain finish with a variety of embossed and/or decorative border decorations, others printed in color or on lace paper; numerous type faces and border styles; a nice selection of 1860s printing. Conversely the death notices are printed on plain paper; some with black borders and without adornment. (#21003569) \$750.

Interesting printing or social collection

Poetry (holiday)



14. [Shape Book][Die-cut Book][Poetry] **A Christmas Stocking Full of Good Things.** Harriet E. Manchester (selector) Peter Paul & Bro. Buffalo, NY. 1880. Twentieth Thousand. 20 pp. Press of the Courier Company. 9 1/2" x 4 1/2". Illustrated wraps, die-cut in the shape of a stocking with ribbon tie binding. Selections include Christmas Eve, Old Santa Claus, Katie's Wants, Christmas night in the Quarter and many more. All are attributed; many from contemporary periodicals. (#21000868) \$300.

Minimal cover wear; else fine.

Racism

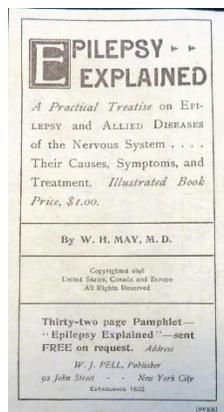


15. [Racism][Stereotyping][Black][Advertising] **A Collection of 59 items Exemplifying the Denigration of Black Americans in Early Advertising.** 1880s-1890s. This collection of mostly 19th century advertising trade cards and labels is a representative sample of the demeaning and insulting portrayals used in advertising. It demonstrates extreme stereotyping, racism and satirizing of appearance, speech and actions. It includes portrayals of minstrels, field workers, cooks, philanderers, individuals without proper shoes and clothing, violent or nonsensical activities, thievery, being the brunt of the prank and more all in the name of selling product and maintaining "the upper hand". One item of particular note is one of the few 20th Century items in the collection, a die-cut menu for "Coon-Chicken Inn" operated coast to coast from the 1920s - 1950. The collection includes 59 different pieces. (#8500015) \$5,500.

Institutional sale only - to be contextualized for educational purposes.
Overall excellent; few light bends.



Medicine, Science, Technology



16. [advertising][business history][circular][medicine][epilepsy] **Epilepsy Explained ... A Publisher's Advertising Circular for a Newly Published Illustrated Book on Epilepsy.** W. H. May, M.D. W. J. Pell. New York, NY. 1898. A advertising leaflet for the illustrated book entitled "Epilepsy Explained: A Practical Treatise on Epilepsy and Allied Diseases of the Nervous System, Their Causes, Symptoms, and Treatment" by W. H. May, M. D. The small flyer was printed by the book's new York City publisher, W. J. Pell in 1898 when the book first came out in order to drum up interest in the book. The back of the flyer has a wonderful black and white engraving of the the oldest Methodist Methodist Episcopal Church in America which was located a block up the street from the publisher's

offices. The book being advertised sold for one dollar, and contained a history and description of epilepsy and the fits someone with the disease might have. A 32 page pamphlet called 'Epilepsy Explained' was also sent free upon request. In regards to the book itself, there is little to no information on it, and no OCLC record of it. However there is an OCLC record of a book by the same author with a slightly different title, "Epilepsy Explained: A Practical Treatise on Epilepsy and Allied Diseases of the Nervous System, Their Causes, Symptoms, Treatment and Cure", published a year later, in 1899, by a different New York publisher, Albert Russell & Co. Single page, double sided. Measures 5 ¼" x 3". (#20200517) \$85.

General wear.



17. [Communicable Disease][Public Health][Metropolitan Life] **Communicable Diseases - How to Prevent Tuberculosis, Scarlet Fever, Measles, Typhoid Fever, Diphtheria & Whooping Cough in the 1920s-30s.** Metropolitan Life. New York. 1920s-1930s. A small collection of six (6) pamphlets published by Metropolitan life to aid the public and of course their policy holders on the prevention and/or treatment for communicable diseases of the day. They include:
- Tuberculosis* - 8 pp. Caused by living germs, swallowed or breathed in; treatment Rest, fresh air, good food and sunshine are the best cures. Do not be misled by advertised cures of any kind.
 - Scarlet Fever* - 4 pp. Includes Scarlatina prevent by isolating infected child- wearing protective covering when caring for the patient, isolate dishes/flatware, careful disposal of respiratory secretions, get Dick test and take anti-toxin for treatment.
 - Measles* - 4 pp. Signs and symptoms, Spread by talking or coughing. Treatment - isolation, away from direct sunlight, carefully follow doctor's instructions; risk of kidney and chronic illnesses.
 - The Conquest of Typhoid Fever* - 8 pp. Information on what, how to prevent, the vaccination, pasteurization, human carriers, care of patients, disinfection and how to have a safe vacation.
 - Diphtheria and your Child* - 4 pp. The importance of use of toxoid or toxin-antitoxin, how to receive it and when to get the Schick test and finally the signs and symptoms and what to do if you suspect diphtheria.
 - Whooping Cough* - 4 pp. The dangers of the disease, how it starts, when to call a doctor and how to prevent spread.

Most with illustrations, one image from photograph of pasteurization. The tuberculosis brochure is illustrated throughout. Each 8" x 5 ½". (#21000922) \$250.

Although presented by an insurance company, vital public health information for the day.
Minimal wear.

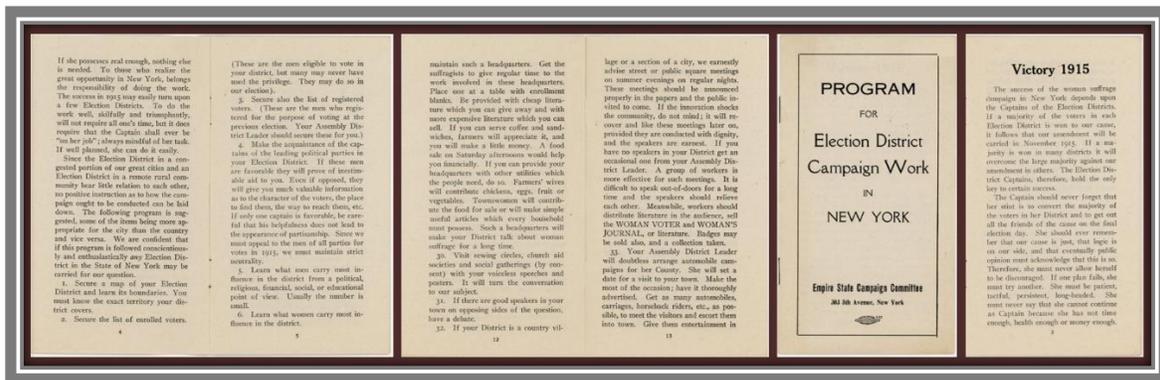
18. [Complexion][Rheumatism][Obesity][Eczema][Female Complaints] **The New Improved Thermal Vapor Bath Cabinet.** Mollenkopp & McCreery. Toledo, OH. 1898. 8 pp. fold-out pamphlet with an image of a woman being treated in The New Improved Thermal Vapor Bath Cabinet on the front cover. It purportedly is an effective treatment for the Complexion, Rheumatism, Sciatica, Lumbago, Gout, Etc. It is also effective for Skin and Blood Diseases: Eczema, Salt Rheum, Erysipeias, Scrofula, Itch, Herpes, Tetter, Comedones, Ringworm, Hives, Pimples, Boils, Carbuncles, Humors, Oily and Scaly Skin, Unsightly Complexion, Scalp Diseases and Skin Tortures. If that is not enough also effective for Kidney Disease: Brite's Disease, Gravel, Diabetes, Dropsy, Liver Disease, Constipation, Jaundice and Biliousness. \And then, Female Complaints: Derangement of the Maternal organs, Suppressed Menses, Leucorrhœa, Bearing-down Pains, Sallowness of Complexion, Nervous Diseases, Lung Diseases, Asthma and Croup, Catarrh, Venereal Diseases, Alcohol, Tobacco and Narcotics consumption. The final discussion relates to Obesity via Fleshiness versus Emaciation via Leanness. It also includes three (3) testimonials. Measures



7" x 4 1/2". (#21000449) \$125.

At the turn of the 19th Century one of the most profitable side lines of the druggist was the vapor bath cabinet, Frequently recommended by physicians. Mollenkopp & McCreery sold over 200,000 in the year 1899.
Light wrinkling.

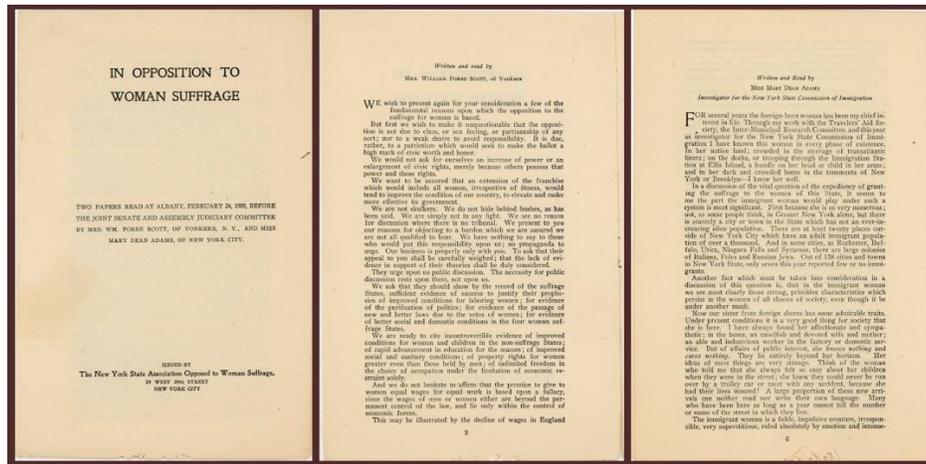
Women's Suffrage



19. [Suffragists][Women's Votes][Promotional Campaign] **Program for Election District Campaign Work in New York Empire State Campaign Committee New York.** Carrie Chapman Catt Empire State Campaign Committee. New York, NY. [1915]. 14 pp. pamphlet with the heading "Victory 1915". It begins The success of the woman suffrage campaign in New York depends upon the Captains of the Election Districts. If a majority of the voters in each Election District is won to our cause, it follows that our amendment will be carried in November 1915... The Election District Captains, therefore, hold the only key to success. She must never be discouraged, she must be patient and try another plan if one fails, and never say she cannot continue as Captain due to lack of money, time or health. A plan is put forth that the Committee has every confidence will carry the cause on November 15. This is followed by 35 numbered and detail components of the plan featuring the "how to" advice or tactics for success. Points include obtain community maps including enrolled voters, identify both

male and female community influencers, visit them in order of importance, don't despair at low results; carry on, decorate cars and carriages and storefronts in the colors, get men suffragists to help enroll men, visit sewing circles, church aid societies and social gatherings (by consent) with your voiceless speeches and posters. It will turn the conversation to subjects, at outdoor rallies distribute literature in the audience, sell WOMAN VOTERS and WOMAN'S JOURNAL. Badges may be sold also, and a collection taken. The final advise is every suffragist who owns a farm or village lot to buy a Votes for Women card in the colors and to erect a simple post inside the premises. The inside back cover promotes various publications, buttons, posters, stickers, etc. available through the Campaign Committee. Measures 6" x 3 1/2". (#21001885) \$700.

Carrie Chapman Catt was an American women's suffrage leader who campaigned for the Nineteenth Amendment to the United States Constitution, which gave U.S. women the right to vote in 1920. Catt served as president of the National American Woman Suffrage Association from 1900 to 1904 and 1915 to 1920
As new.



20. [Anti-Woman Suffrage][Women's History] **(Women) In Opposition to Woman Suffrage- Two Papers Read at Albany...** The New York State Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage. New York, NY. 1909. 8 pp. pamphlet. Two papers read at Albany, February 24, 1909, before the Joint Senate and Assembly Judiciary Committee by Mrs. Wm. Forse Scott, of Yonkers, NY and Miss Mary Dean Adams, of New York City. Essentially Mrs. Scott's argument was that non-suffrage states had already done enough for women and Ms. Scott, an Investigator for the New York State Commission of Immigration argues that because of the large influx of immigrants who "knows nothing and cares nothing about the affairs of public interest, no woman should have the right to vote. Measures 9" x 5 1/2". (#21000463) \$125.

Jagged margin at base; minimal detracton.

Travel & Tourism



21. [travelogue][travel and tourism][history][isles of shoal][star island] **The Story of the Isle of Shoals, A Scrap Book by Carleton P. Small, circa 1941-1946.** Louis C. Cornish Beacon Press, Inc. Boston, MA. 1936. The scrapbook is actually a copy of "The Story of the Isles of Shoals: an address first delivered on Star Island, July 15, 1916, upon the occasion of the twentieth anniversary of the Unitarian summer meetings and repeated on the thirtieth anniversary in 1926; rewritten and delivered on the fortieth anniversary, July 26, 1936", that Carleton P. Small has filled with all of his momentos relating to Star Island, NH. Star Island is a part of the group of islands known as the Isles of Shoals located along the coast between Maine and New Hampshire. The book "The Story of the Isle of Shoals" provides a history of the island dating back to its settling in the early 17th century by fisherman. Small uses this book as scrapbook by taping in a variety of pieces of ephemera, photographs, newspaper clippings, and postcards. All of these items were taped into the book so that they could be flipped upwards and one could still read the text beneath. It is unclear if Small himself ever actually traveled to Star Island or was just researching the history of it. However, his mother, Grace, appears to have spent time there in July 1946, and sent him some postcards, as such she could have provided him with some of the photographs and other ephemera. What is clear is that Small was extremely interested in history, and the island's history in particular. There are numerous handwritten notes regarding the history of the island, particularly individual settlers. These notes are sometimes written directly on the page, however more often are taped in on separate pages. Some of his notes appear to be copies from historical primary sources as seem to be quotes either from financial transactions or letters/diaries. All total the scrap book includes: thirteen (13) photographs (3 are printed photographs), six (6) postcards of which three (3) are used and sent to Small by his mother, nine (9) handwritten historical notes, and nine (9) pieces of ephemera relating to Star Island. Some examples of the ephemera are: a hand drawn map of the Isle of Shoals, the brochure for the General Alliance Week July 19 - 29, 1941 at Star Island, a 1946 Consolidated Scheduled Boston to Gosport Ferry, the brochure & application for The All Stare Conference for All the Family June 29 to July 6, 1946, the brochure & application for the Fiftieth Anniversary Conference Isles of Shoals Unitarian Association July 20-27, and a 1944 newspaper clipping entitled "Death Stalks the Isle of Shoals" about several ax murders that occurred in 1872 there. 47 pgs. Green printed wrappers. OCLC 9 (Jan. 2020). Scrapbook - unique. Approximately thirty-seven (37) pieces added with additionally annotations throughout. Measures 9" x 6". (#20200477) \$250.

To view images click: <https://photos.app.goo.gl/UZpQU4r9PTBckMpq5>

Carleton Potter Small was born on October 31, 1902 to Dr. Richard Dresser Small (1872-1937) and Grace F. Potter (1878-1962) in Portland, ME. Carleton was a Unitarian, and was a heavily involved in his local church, the First Parish Church of Portland, acting as an editor for the local church's publication, and even publishing a few books about and/or for the church. He was also extremely interested in history and was an active member of the Colonial Wars Society in Portland, ME. He died on March 14, 1972.

The Shoal islands were settled in the early 17th century by fisherman, and grew into moderate fishing ports until the start of the American Revolutionary War when their populations were ordered to evacuate. Afterwards islands remained sparsely populated until the mid to late 19th century when hoteliers became interested, and the island became known for their "artist retreats". In 1896 Thomas and Lilla Elliot built Shoals Summer Meeting Association on Star Island as a summer conference center. It was bought by the Star Island Corporation who still run the summer conferences there today.

General wear. Tape used has yellowed. One item is detached, though it appears to have never been attached. A few interior pages are loose but still attached.

Trade Catalogue



22. [Trade Catalogue][Ribbon Badges] **Ribbon Badges, Emblematic Engravings, Lodge Jewels and More.** The Whitehead & Hoag Co. Newark, NJ. 1893. Stamped black cloth with Ribbon Badges stamped in silver on cover. 56 pp. trade catalogue for the Whitehead & Hoag Co. Includes information on ribbon badges, reversible badges, agent information, description of badges, many pages of emblematic engravings, cuts and more. Features 16 full color plates of ribbons for various organizations including product number. Also includes Plates A- D providing examples of steel plate badges. Measures 10 1/2" 7 1/2". (#21012655) \$750.

Note the collation of the plates is unusual with 7-10 before page 33 and the remainder after page 34. Vertical cut in paper inside cover. See image.

Women

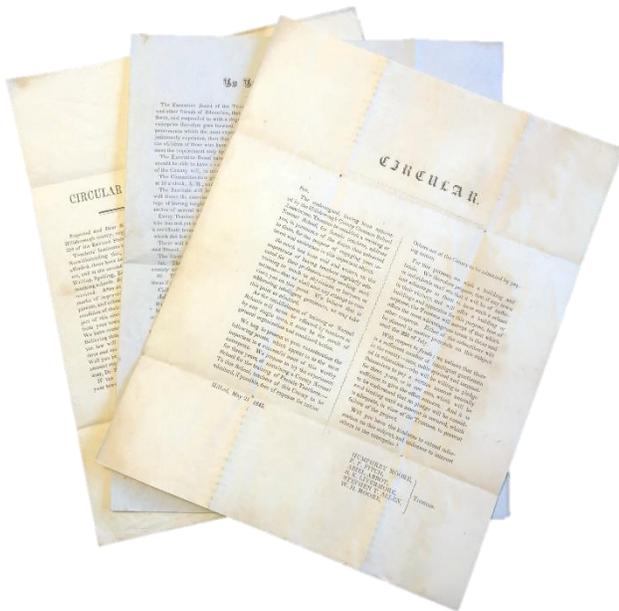
23. [language of flowers][calendar][women's history][beauty][advertisements][horticulture & gardens] **Burnett's Floral Hand-Book: Ladies' Calendar, Vol. IV.** Joseph Burnett & Company. Boston, MA. 1874. A small booklet that includes a calendar and lexicon on the language of flowers. The booklet was published by Joseph Burnett & Company, a hair and cosmetic company, as a way of advertising their wares. Along with the 1874 calendar is a section on the phases of the moon and planetary orbits for the year. The rest of the book alternates between pages of advertisements for the company and the lexicon on the language of flowers. One of the products that is advertised the most in the booklet is "Burnett's Cocoaine" which was a hair oil made from "cocoa-nut oil" that help to promote hair growth and shine as well as helping with dandruff control and scalp irritation. The lexicon is done alphabetical and starts with Acacia, meaning concealed love, and goes to Zennae, meaning absent friends. The front cover features an illustration of a seated young woman in a fashionable dress holding a rose surround by fauna. There is one piece of interfoliata, which contains some quotes. 32 p.p. Illustrated wrappers. String binding. OCLC 1 (Nov. 2021). Measures 4 1/2" x 3". (#20200062)



\$110.

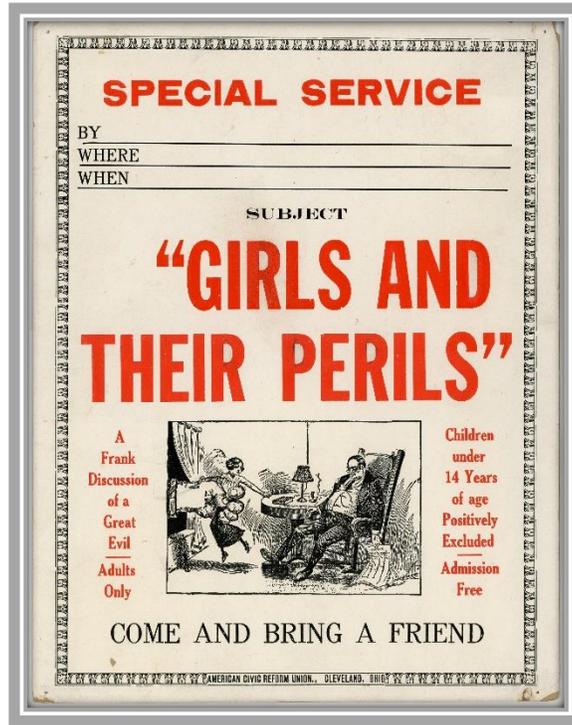
General wear.

24. [educational][women's work][teaching][circular] **A Trio of Circulars Regarding the Formation of Female Teacher's Institute.** Teacher's Institute Hillsborough County, NH. [1845-1848]. The first of the three circulars was published in May 1845 and discussed how to create and fund a previous proposal to establish a teachers institute in Hillsborough County, NH. The circular was specifically asking to propose an "experiment for three years, of sustaining a Country Normal School for the training of Female Teachers." The second circular dates from March 1847 and gives notices to teachers of the county the first term of the new Teachers Institute located in New Boston, NH, will start in April 1847. The term would last three weeks and while tuition was free, each teacher was expected to pay their own board and travel expenses. This circular deviates from the earlier one as now both male and female teachers are invited to attend. The last circular, undated but presumably from late 1847 or early 1848, details the success the institute had in its first two terms and requests more funding from the towns within Hillsborough County in order to continue. All three circulars were addressed to George Griffin, Esq. in Litchfield, NH. Three single fold, circulars. Measures 9



3/4" x 7 3/4" (folded), 15 1/2" x 9 3/4" (unfolded).
(#20200805) \$175.

General wear. Letter folds.

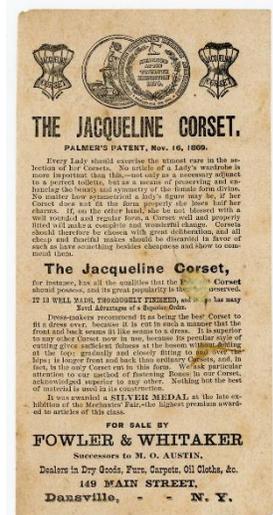


25. [Promotional Poster][White Slave Traffickers][American Civic Reform Union] **Special Service - Girls and Their Perils - Identifying White Slavers.** American Civic Reform Union. Cleveland, OH. [1923]. A 13 1/2" x 10 1/2" heavy card stock promotional poster for a Special Service to discuss "Girls and Their Perils" - A Frank Discussion of a Great Evil - Adults Only. A 1923 newspaper article explains that these meetings were being held around the country in cooperation with the American Civic Reform union based in Cleveland. The object is to safeguard girls and women by exposing the ingenious methods by which white slavers lure girls into their traps. Reverse is blank. (#21012665) \$250.

An important part of the campaign was to enroll mature women who would volunteer as welfare circle leaders to circulate materials on the subject. Albert Sidney Gregg, widely known as a magazine writer was the general superintendent according to the article. Santa Ana Register, May 18, 1923. Little else can be found on the organization and/or efforts.

26. [Gender Roles][Women's History] **The Jacqueline Corset.** Fowler & Whitaker, Dry Goods. Dansville NY. [1874]. Palmer's Patent 1869. A 7 3/4" x 4" A leaflet promoting the Jacqueline Corset. Trademark images at top. It begins "Every Lady should exercise the utmost care in the selection of her Corsets. No article of a Lady's wardrobe is more important than this, --not only as a necessary adjunct to a perfect toilette, but as a means of preserving and enhancing the beauty and symmetry of the female form divine. If, on the other hand, she be not blessed with a well rounded and regular form, a Corset well and properly fitted will make a complete and wonderful change. Corsets should therefore be chosen with great deliberation, an all cheap and fanciful makes should be discarded in favor of such as have something besides cheapness and show to commend them." The narrative continues discussing how dressmakers prefer them and their special approach to attaching bones in the corset. Sold by Fowler & Whitaker, Dansville NY. Reverse is blank. (#21012688) \$115.

Intact tear; stain and discoloration.





27. [Gender Roles][Body Image][Women's History] **Promotional Brochures - How to Be a Popular Young Women.** Various. . 1947-1950s. A grouping of five (5) promotional brochures explaining how to "Click with the Crowd" "be unforgettable", "in the Know" "have the perfect figure". Comprised mostly of solicitous information on how to be popular - to make yourself into the person you are "supposed to be". They include:
- "*Click with the Crowd*" two editions 1947 and 1950. Bristol Myers Co. 6 pp. fold-out with good and bad habits to be a crowd pleaser; Don't say I don't perspire; its a bad habit to bite your nails, don't fool yourself by thinking your sweater doesn't need washing. Also includes a Q&A on good grooming and a daily Check List on Daintiness, Hair, Teeth, Make-up, Hands, Hose and Clothes.
- "*The girl you can't forget*" Another Pacemaker. 1957. Coca Cola. 16pp.. Profiling a fountain waitress at work and after hours, Lessons for work and home. Be a trim little miss, neat and nice. Always have a spotless house, ready for guest at any time. Be a good hostess--treat service as an art. The back page is a Rate Yourself test.
- "*Are you in the know?*" 1963. Kimberly-Clark Corp. Do's and Don'ts with multiple choice questions followed by the "correct answer" on the subjects of Dating, Minding your Manners, Your Personality and Poise, Good Looks and Grooming and This and That. Concludes with a section on menstruation and booklets available through Kimberly-Clark (Kotex)
- "*How to make your figure Add Up...with proper Bras & Girdles*". [1960] Du Pont. 14 pp. Describes different body types and characteristics; Petit and Porcelain --you're 5'2" and under, Average and All There -- your 5'3" - 5'6"; Well-Rounded -- you'd like less of you, Under-endowed--you'd like to equalize, Over-endowed--you ought to be in pictures, Active--you're a sculptor's ideal, Tall and Terrific -- you're 5' 7" and over, Narrow and Nice--you'd like more of you. This section is followed by Foundation Cures for Figure Faults, Bra-vo for the Bra, Firm Talk on Girdles and Care of "Antron" and "Lycra". Largest measures 7 ½" x 5 ½". (#21001587) \$325.



28. [Promotional Information][Women][New York City] 3 Pamphlets/Brochures on Single Women Residences in New York City. 1920s-1930s. From the Parnassus Club, mostly serving the students of Juilliard School of Music and Barnard College to YWCA residents "I can't live anywhere else so comfortably and cheaply". The Parnassus is 24 pp. and additionally includes a reservation, an acceptance letter and a floor plan. The booklet provides information on the purpose, location, history, management, infirmary, social activities, accommodations, rates and numerous images from photographs. In contrast the two YWCA residences - the Tatham House and Spelman Hall are 4 pp.. each with a brief promotional information, rates and images from photographs Of note - Parnassus Club rates are \$14.00-\$20.00 per week and YMCA are from \$3.50 to \$6.00 per week. The YWCA measures 7 3/4" x 5 1/2" (#21000661) \$225.

Light wear.

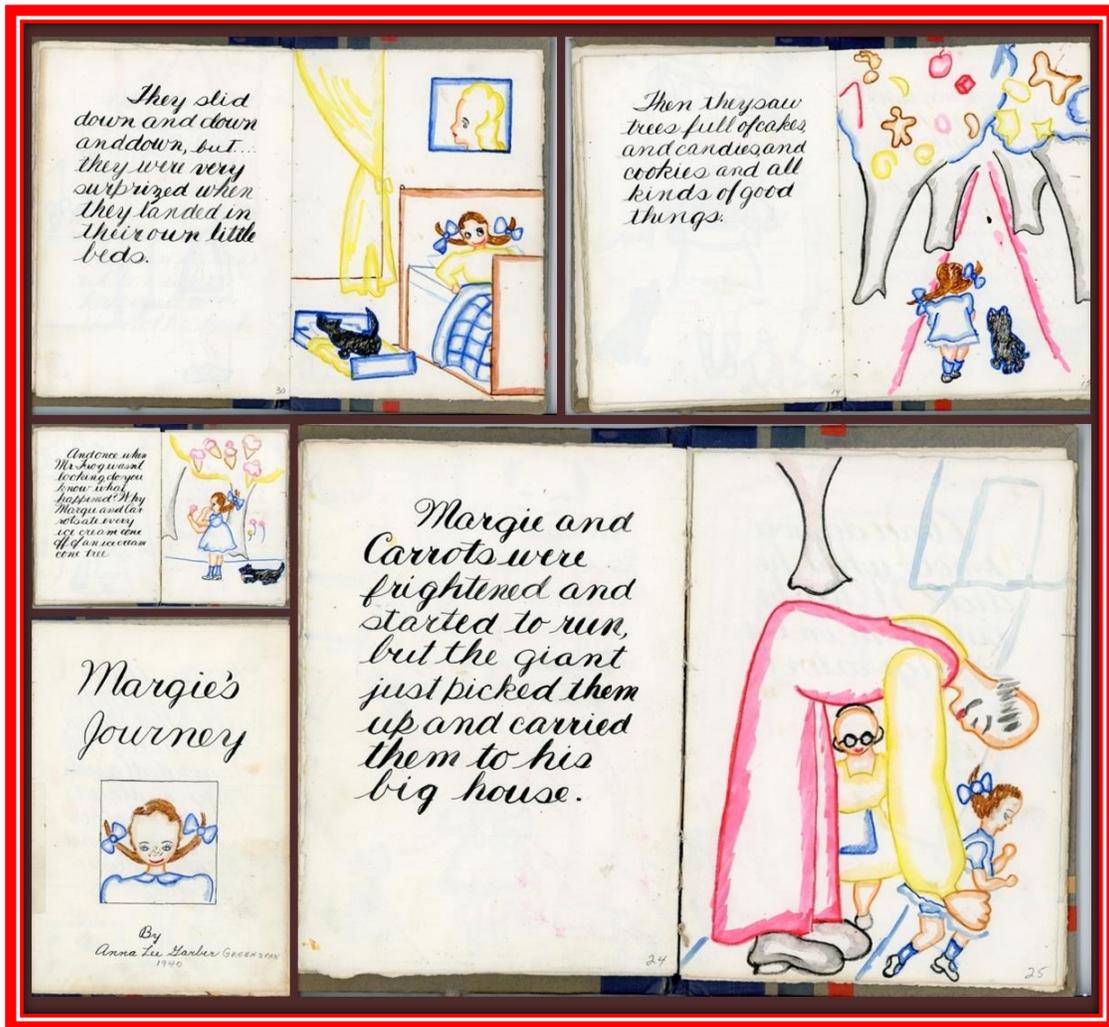
It's all about the Children

Materials in this section will always be about the children...



29. [Manuscript][Paper Doll Toy Book][Morality] Frédéric ou les effets de la désobéissance ; Exemplifié dans une série de caractères (Frederick or the effects of disobedience; Exemplified in a Series of Characters). D. N. Shury. London. [1816]. Gingham and calico on board covers on this hand constructed book. Applied calligraphy cover title reads "Frederic" with naive pen and ink vignette of what appears to be scenes from the book. 27 manuscript pages penned in French accompanied by a single removable watercolor paper doll head to be moved from scene to scene of eight (8) scenes corresponding to the narrative. Also includes a 17 pp. double space typed English translation. Transcription concludes" D. N. Shury, Berwick Street, Soho London". No date as to when the transcription occurred. Measures 9 1/2" x 8 1/2". (#290008889) \$3000.

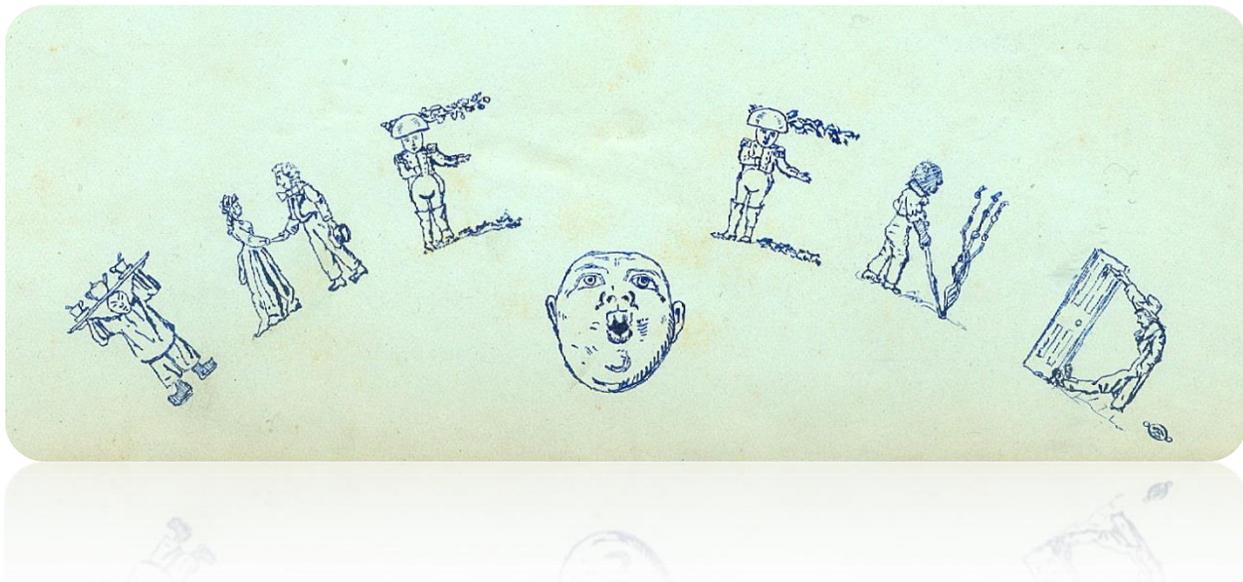
*Charming imagery done after the original printed character scenes. The original was written by D. N. Shury and Printed for S. and J. Fuller at the Temple of Fancy and Juvenile Museum
Back strip lacking.*



30. [Works by Children][Anthropomorphism][Original Art] **Margie's Journey - Written and Illustrated by a 14 year old girl.** Anna Lee Garber (Greenspan) 1926-2003) . Hennepin, MN. 1940. 31 numbered pages. Pen and ink and watercolor. Board- decorative strips back board. Title page with watercolor of freckled face red head with pigtails. Total of 16 full page drawings. Label pasted on flyleaf "Written & drawn when I was 14" Item of note - the little girl's face has a very different appearance in each image where visible. Story written in cursive. Measures 8 1/2" x 5 3/4". (#21012693) \$575.

The story of the adventures of a little girl and her dog, Carrots and a new acquaintance, a frog, Mr. Phillippe. Mr. Phillippe leads them on a journey through a land of candy they are not allowed to eat. Margie and Carrots broke down at the ice cream tree and gobbled all the cones while Mr. Phillippe turned his back. Suddenly a giant appeared and decided to eat Margie and Carrots for dinner. The giant's near-sighted wife accidentally put them in the "clotheshoot" which sent them tumbling down a long slide. the book concludes with "but they were very surprised (sp) when they landed in their own little beds".

Cover wear.



Thank you for looking.

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